## CONSUMER ADVISORY OF HOME IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION STATUS

This advisory is provided, in accordance with instructions from the New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs, to give you important information about home improvement contracts and my status as an applicant for registration as a home improvement contractor. Please be advised that there is a new law, which went into effect on December 31, 2005, that requires any person engaged in the business of making or selling home improvements to be registered with the New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs.

Prior to December 31, 2005, I filed a complete application for registration, paid the fee and demonstrated that I have obtained the commercial general liability insurance required under the law. I have not yet received a registration number; however, the Division of Consumer Affairs has notified municipal officials and applicants that, after December 31, 2005, applicants who have completed applications pending, which have not been denied, may continue to receive permits and make or sell home improvements while the application remains pending, without being deemed in violation of the law. Therefore, I am permitted to continue to obtain municipal construction permits without a registration number (unless my application for registration is denied). You should understand that the Division does not represent, warrant, or guarantee that the filing of a completed application will result in its approval.

In accordance with the direction of the New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs, I have agreed to advise you immediately of any action taken by the Division regarding my application for registration. If you have any questions regarding this matter, you may contact the New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs at 1-888-656-6225.

In signing this document, I acknowledge that I have made the above disclosures to the consumer whose signature appears below prior to the execution of the contract.

Contractor

In signing this document, I acknowledge that I have received the above disclosures from the contractor whose signature appears above prior to the execution of the contract.

Consumer